

Cemetery Commission Meeting Agenda September 28, 2017, 4:30 PM Lakeview Cemetery, 455 North Avenue

- I. Approval of Agenda
- II. Approval of Minutes from July 13, 2017 Meeting

III. Old Business

- A. Storm water easement: map showing location available yet? (See 7.17.17 email from Nina Safavi, 7.25.17 email from Tag Taginski)
- B. List of tipped stones righted at Greenmount May 20, 2017 available?
- C. No Dogs Allowed and Open Sunrise to Sunset signs status: there are no signs in storage—what is process for getting them designed, ordered & installed?
- D. Chapel repairs status (roof cornice, pointing, slate). Paul Bruhn, Preservation Trust of Vermont, noted matching grants available for assessment if needed. Todd Greenough may be investigating.
- E. Chapel insurance needed question status
- F. Chapel Handicap Access follow-up (See 7.17.17 email from Nina Safavi)
- G. Has Section 6 has been tested for appropriate drainage (D'Alton emailed Shedd).
- H. Green Burials—see The Meadows Green Burial Protocols booklet provided by Michelle Acciavatti, 7 Days article by Hollenbeck, mtg. w/ City Attorney, updates on changes in ordinances, mtg with Patrick Healy, Greenmount Cemetery, Montpelier. (see 7.26.17 Safavi email, 7.25.17 email from Tag Taginski)

IV. New Business

- A. Preparation for addressing City Council in October (past Commission projects, current concerns, short write-up, date)
- B. Setting Commission goals & timeline
- C. Discuss Capital spending plan & FY19 budget proposals for Cemeteries (Martha Keenan was asked via email 8.14.17 & 9.07; see Jeff Shedd email 8.15.17)--Section VI survey & pinning, Fence, Chapel, other?

V. Superintendent's Items

A. Safavi lowered Cemetery Event Policy impact fee in response to Thea Lewis complaint (see 8.15.17 Safavi email).

VI. Commissioner's Items

- A. 8.27.17 VOCA Barber Cemetery debrief
- B. Perpetual Care Fund management mtg. w/ Jason Gow, new CEO and new Parks Dept. Head

VII. Office Report

- A. FY17 Final Budget Performance Report
- B. New fee schedule to go into effect Oct. 1; sent to Funeral Homes & Monument Dealers by 8.31.17, and to be posted on web Oct. 1.17.

VIII. Public Comments

IX. Adjournment